Dermatology and Therapy



Why carry out this study?

- Verruca vulgaris is a viral infection of the skin affecting 7-12% of the total population worldwide.
- This study examined the safety and efficacy of a novel treatment agent in a small Phase II clinical trial.

What was learned from the study?

- Povidone-iodine 2% solution in dimethylsulfoxide is a safe, welltolerated treatment for verruca vulgaris which can improve the overall apperance of common warts.
- Povidone-iodine 2% solution in dimethylsulfoxide is an important agent for the treatment of common warts that warrants further study in expanded Phase II and Phase III clinical trials.

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